

## Town of Westford Town Meeting and Election Calendar for 2006

<b>Town Election</b>	Tuesday, May 2, 2006 7:00 am – 8:00 pm
<b>Annual Town Meeting</b>	Saturday, May 6, 2006 10:00am at Abbot School May 8, 2006 7:00pm, if needed
Town Warrant*	Opens: February 17, 2006 Closes: March 7, 2006 (4:00pm)
Budget Hearings	Tuesday, February 15, 2006 Wednesday, February 16, 2006 both will be at 7:00pm at the Millennium School
Planning Board Hearings	Monday, April 3, 2006 Monday, April 10, 2006 (if needed) Tuesday, April 18, 2006 (if needed)
<b>State Primary</b>	Tuesday, September 19, 2006 7:00 am – 8:00 pm
<b>Special Town Meeting</b>	Monday, October 16, 2006 7:30 pm at Abbot School October 17, 2006 7:30 pm if needed October 25, 2006 7:30 pm if needed
Town Warrant	Opens: Friday, August 4, 2006 Closes: Tuesday, August 22, 2006
Planning Board Hearings	Monday, September 18, 2006 Monday, October 2, 2006, if needed
<b>State Election</b>	Tuesday, November 7, 2006 7:00 am – 8:00 pm

### Local Candidates' Deadlines

Nomination Papers to Board of Registrars	Tuesday, March 14, 2006 <b>5:00 pm</b>
Last Day to Withdraw from election	Thursday, March 30, 2006

### Voter Registration Deadlines\*\*

Annual Town Election and Town Meeting	by 8:00 pm on Wednesday, April 12, 2006
State Primary	by 8:00 pm on Wednesday, August 30, 2006
Special Town Meeting	by 8:00 pm on Friday, October 6, 2006
State Election	by 8:00 pm on Wednesday, October 18, 2006

\*The warrant "warns" voters about what agenda items or articles will be considered during Town Meeting. While the warrant is open, boards, committees, departments and voters have the opportunity to propose articles to the Selectmen who decide what goes on the warrant. Voters may petition the Selectmen to include articles by obtaining signatures of at least 10 registered voters for annual town meetings or 100 voters for special town meetings.

\*\*If you are already a registered voter in town, you do not need to re-register in order to participate in elections and town meetings. In order to remain an active voter, you need to return the town census annually.